(c) Yes, Sir.

(d) There is only a marginal surplus in some products, which will remain for a few years and is not likely to have any negative impact.

(e) Refining Sector has been de-licensed and it is expected that the companies will invest in the refinery projects taking into account the existing capacities and viability aspects.

Investigation Committee of Nepal on Plane Hijacking

†*8. SHRI JANESHWAR MISHRA: Will the Minister of EXTERNAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that Thapa Committee of Nepal which was investigating into the case of Indian Airlines plane hijacking has expressed its deep concern on the activities of Pak-supported terrorist organisations in Nepal;

(b) whether Government have any knowledge of recommendations made by Thapa Committee; and

(c) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS (SHRI JASWANT SINGH): (a) Government of India are not aware of any Thapa Committee Report of Nepal on the hijacking of Indian Airlines flight IC-814 on December 24, 1999. However, His Majesty's Government of Nepal had constituted a 5-member Committee headed by Hem Bahadur Singh.

(b) and (c) The question does not arise.

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